

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Docket No. : 056208.53362US  
Customer No. : 23911  
  
Title : Electronic Control Unit for Automobiles and Output Driver  
Circuit Used in The Same

**REPLY**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in  
response to the Office Action dated July 6, 2007.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning  
on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.